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CORPORATE SOURCE: Graduate Science Research Center, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC, 29208, USA

SOURCE: International Congress Series (2002), 1245 (Maillard Reaction in Food Chemistry and Medical Science), 169-173

CODEN: EXMDA4; ISSN: 0531-5131
PUBLISHER: Elsevier Science B.V.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English

AB We hypothesized that the beneficial effects of a variety of pharmacol. agents on the progression of diabetic complications were mediated by a common pathway limiting the formation of advanced glycation and advanced lipoxidn. end products (AGEs/ALEs) on protein. We studied the effects of the AGE/ALE inhibitor pyridoxamine (PM), the antioxidant vitamin E (VE) and the ACE inhibitor enalapril (EP) on the development of nephropathy and retinopathy in STZ-induced diabetic rats over 29 wk. Blood glucose and glycoHb were similar in all diabetic groups. Plasma lipids rose continuously in diabetic animals and only PM significantly attenuated this increase. Early nephropathy was indicated by increased plasma creatinine, and urinary albumin, protein and TGF- β excretion in untreated rats. While all interventions limited renal damage to some extent, PM was the most effective, although the increased expression of renal laminin β 1 and fibronectin mRNA was normalized by all therapies. Measurement of retinal damage (cellular capillaries, vascular basement membrane-associated laminin) showed that only PM significantly limited signs of early retinopathy in diabetic rats. Only PM limited the increases in the AGE/ALEs in renal and retinal tissue, and in skin collagen, of diabetic rats. Our results suggest that limiting both dyslipidemia and AGE/ALE formation is required for maximum protection of renal and retinal function in the STZ-diabetic rat.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:267440 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:131842

TITLE: Effect of advanced glycosylation end products on matrix metalloproteinase-2 activity in rat renal cortex

AUTHOR(S): Yu, Xiaoyan; Li, Cai; Miao, Chunsheng; Zhang, Xiuyun

CORPORATE SOURCE: Institute of Biological Engineering, Jilin University, Changchun, 130021, Peop. Rep. China

SOURCE: Jilin Daxue Xuebao, Yixueban (2002), 28(4), 331-334

PUBLISHER: CODEN: JDXYA3; ISSN: 1671-587X

DOCUMENT TYPE: Baiqiuwen Yike Daxue Xuebao Bianjibu

LANGUAGE: Journal
Chinese

AB The effects of advanced glycosylation end products (AGEs) and aminoguanidine (AG) on matrix metalloproteinase-2 (MMP-2) activity in rat renal cortex were studied. Normal rats were given by tail vein injection with either AGE-modified rat serum protein (AGE-RSP), AGE-RSP followed by i.p. injection of AG (AGEs + AG), or native rat serum protein (native RSP), while normal rats without any treatment were as a control. AGEs amount in renal cortex was quantified by ELISA and MMP-2 activity was examined by zymog. anal. AGEs in renal cortex was

markedly increased and the activity of active form MMP-2 (62 KD) was decreased significantly in rats treated with AGE-RSP for 4 wk as compared with those in rats treated with native RSP or in control. AGEs decreased the activity of MMP-2 in renal cortex and AG inhibited the effect of AGEs on the activity of MMP-2, suggesting that AGEs may induce a decrease in degradation of ECM through inhibition of the MMP-2 activity and result in ECM accumulation.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:88355 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:90216

TITLE: Studies on the processing of herbal medicines (III): HPLC analysis of magnolol and inhibitory effects on the formation of advanced glycation end products (AGEs) in vitro of unprocessed and processed Magnolia Bark

AUTHOR(S): Kim, Jin Sook; Kim, Hyeun Jeong; Ko, Jin Hee

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Herbal Pharmaceutical Development, Korea Institute of Oriental Medicine, Seoul, 135-100, S. Korea

SOURCE: Saengyak Hakhoechi (2002), 33(4), 308-311

CODEN: SYHJAM; ISSN: 0253-3073

PUBLISHER: Korean Society of Pharmacognosy

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: Korean

AB Advanced glycation end products (AGEs) are largely involved in the pathogenesis of diabetic nephropathy. It is obvious that inhibition of AGEs formation is important in preventing the occurrence and progression of diabetic nephropathy. In diabetes, this reaction is greatly accelerated and is important in the pathogenesis of diabetic complications, especially diabetic nephropathy. Therefore, to seek possible AGEs inhibitors in herbal medicines, unprocessed - and processed Magnolia Bark were examined in vitro as basic data for animal experiment. The content of magnolol in unprocessed Magnolia Bark was $0.796 \pm 0.072\%$, and after processing was decreased to $0.586 \pm 0.101\%$ ($p < 0.01$). The content of AGEs was measured by their intrinsic fluorescence. The IC_{50} ($\mu\text{g/mL}$) values of aminoguanidine, unprocessed - and processed Magnolia Bark are $38.845 \pm 8.36 \mu\text{g/mL}$, $54.264 \pm 3.153 \mu\text{g/mL}$ and $27.882 \pm 1.836 \mu\text{g/mL}$, resp. This result means that processed Magnolia Bark was more effective than aminoguanidine, as pos. control.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:939497 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:151440

TITLE: Activation of tubular epithelial cells in diabetic nephropathy

AUTHOR(S): Morcos, Michael; Sayed, Ahmed A. R.; Bierhaus, Angelika; Yard, Benito; Waldherr, Rudiger; Merz, Wolfgang; Kloeting, Ingrid; Schleicher, Erwin; Mentz, Stefani; El Baki, Randa F. Abd; Tritschler, Hans; Kasper, Michael; Schwenger, Vedat; Hamann, Andreas; Dugi, Klaus A.; Schmidt, Anne-Marie; Stern, David; Ziegler, Reinhard; Haering, Hans U.; Andressy, Martin; Van der Woude, Fokko; Nawroth, Peter P.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Internal Medicine 1 and Department of Nephrology, University of Heidelberg, Heidelberg, 69115, Germany

SOURCE: Diabetes (2002), 51(12), 3532-3544

CODEN: DIAEАЗ; ISSN: 0012-1797

PUBLISHER: American Diabetes Association

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Previous studies have shown that renal function in type 2 diabetes correlates better with tubular changes than with glomerular pathol. Since advanced glycation end products (AGEs; AGE-albumin) and in particular carboxymethyllysine (CML) are known to play a central role in diabetic nephropathy, we studied the activation of nuclear factor κ B (NF- κ B) in tubular epithelial cells in vivo and in vitro by AGE-albumin and CML. Urine samples from healthy control subjects (n = 50) and type 2 diabetic patients (n = 100) were collected and tested for excretion of CML and the presence of proximal tubular epithelial cells (pTECs). CML excretion was significantly higher in diabetic patients than in healthy control subjects ($P < 0.0001$) and correlated with the degree of albuminuria ($r = 0.7$, $P < 0.0001$), while there was no correlation between CML excretion and HbA1c ($r = 0.03$, $P = 0.76$). Urine sediments from 20 of 100 patients contained pTECs, evidenced by cytokeratin 18 positivity, while healthy control subjects (n = 50) showed none ($P < 0.0001$). Activated NF- κ B could be detected in the nuclear region of excreted pTECs in 8 of 20 patients with pTECs in the urine sediment (40%). Five of eight NF- κ Bp65 antigen-pos. cells stained pos. for interleukin-6 (IL-6) antigen (62%), while only one of the NF- κ B-neg. cells showed IL-6 positivity. pTECs in the urine sediment correlated pos. with albuminuria ($r = 0.57$, $P < 0.0001$) and CML excretion ($r = 0.55$, $P < 0.0001$). Immunohistochem. in diabetic rat kidneys and a human diabetic kidney confirmed strong expression of NF- κ B in tubular cells. To further prove an AGE/CML-induced NF- κ B activation in pTECs, NF- κ B activation was studied in cultured human pTECs by electrophoretic mobility shift assays (EMSA) and Western blot. Stimulation of NF- κ B binding activity was dose dependent and was one-half maximal at 250 nmol/l AGE-albumin or CML and time dependent at a maximum of activation after 4 days. Functional relevance of the observed NF- κ B activation was demonstrated in pTECs transfected with a NF- κ B-driven luciferase reporter plasmid and was associated with an increased release of IL-6 into the supernatant. The AGE- and CML-dependent activation of NF- κ Bp65 and NF- κ B-dependent IL-6 expression could be inhibited using the soluble form of the receptor for AGEs (RAGE) (soluble RAGE [sRAGE]), RAGE-specific antibody, or the antioxidant thioctic acid. In addition transcriptional activity and IL-6 release from transfected cells could be inhibited by overexpression of the NF- κ B-specific inhibitor κ B α . The findings that excreted pTECs demonstrate activated NF- κ B and IL-6 antigen and that AGE-albumin and CML lead to a perpetuated activation of NF- κ B in vitro infer that a perpetuated increase in proinflammatory gene products, such as IL-6, plays a role in damaging the renal tubule.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:923674 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:383327

TITLE: Renal connective tissue growth factor induction in experimental diabetes is prevented by aminoguanidine

AUTHOR(S): Twigg, Stephen M.; Cao, Zemin; McLennan, Sue V.; Burns, Wendy C.; Brammar, Gail; Forbes, Josephine M.; Cooper, Mark E.

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SOURCE: Endocrinology (2002), 143(12), 4907-4915

CODEN: ENDOAO; ISSN: 0013-7227

PUBLISHER: Endocrine Society

DOCUMENT TYPE:

Journal

LANGUAGE:

English

AB The aim of this study was to determine whether aminoguanidine (AG), an inhibitor of advanced glycation, prevents expression of the profibrotic cytokine, connective tissue growth factor (CTGF), as well as accumulation of the previously reported CTGF-dependent matrix protein, fibronectin, in a model of exptl. diabetic nephropathy. Diabetic animals were randomly allocated into groups receiving 32 wk of AG or vehicle. Diabetic rats showed increases in CTGF mRNA and protein expression as well as in advanced glycation end-product (AGE) and fibronectin immunostaining, compared with nondiabetic rats. In the diabetic kidney, the increase in CTGF gene and protein expression as well as expression of the extracellular matrix protein fibronectin were prevented by AG. To further explore the relationship between AGEs and mesangial CTGF and fibronectin production, cultured human mesangial cells were exposed in vitro to soluble AGE-BSA and carboxymethyl lysine-BSA, and this led to induction of both CTGF and fibronectin. On the basis of our in vitro findings in mesangial cells linking AGEs to CTGF expression, the known prosclerotic effects of CTGF, and the ability of AG to attenuate mesangial expansion, it is postulated that the antifibrotic effects of AG in this animal model may be partially mediated by CTGF.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:862270 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:331512

TITLE:

ALT-946 and aminoguanidine, inhibitors of advanced glycation, improve severe nephropathy in the diabetic transgenic (mREN-2)27 rat

AUTHOR(S): Wilkinson-Berka, Jennifer L.; Kelly, Darren J.; Koerner, Suzanne M.; Jaworski, Kassie; Davis, Belinda; Thallas, Vicki; Cooper, Mark E.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Physiology, University of Melbourne, Parkville, Australia

SOURCE: Diabetes (2002), 51(11), 3283-3289
CODEN: DIAEAZ; ISSN: 0012-1797

PUBLISHER: American Diabetes Association

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB The severe diabetic nephropathy that develops in the hypertensive transgenic (mRen-2)27 rat with streptozotocin (STZ) diabetes has previously been considered angiotensin II-dependent. Because metabolic pathways are also activated in the diabetic kidney, the present study aimed to determine whether renoprotection could be afforded with inhibitors of advanced glycation end products (AGEs), ALT-946, and aminoguanidine (AG). At 6 wk of age, nondiabetic control and STZ diabetic Ren-2 rats were randomized to receive vehicle, ALT-946 (1 g/l), or AG (1 g/l) and were studied for 12 wk. Systolic blood pressure was unchanged with diabetes, ALT-946, or AG. Both kidney weight and glomerular filtration rate were increased with diabetes and unchanged with ALT-946 or AG. ALT-946 and AG equally ameliorated glomerulosclerosis and medullary pathol.; however, ALT-946 did reduce cortical tubular degeneration to a greater extent than AG. Albumin excretion rate, which was elevated with diabetes, was reduced with ALT-946 but not AG. AGE immunolabeling was increased in glomeruli and reduced with ALT-946 and AG. These findings indicate that even in the context of renal injury presumed to be primarily blood pressure-and/or angiotensin II-dependent, approaches that interfere with metabolic pathways such as inhibitors of AGE formation can confer renal protection in exptl. diabetes.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:862269 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:104925
TITLE: Reduction of the accumulation of advanced glycation end products by ACE inhibition in experimental diabetic nephropathy
AUTHOR(S): Forbes, Josephine M.; Cooper, Mark E.; Thallas, Vicki; Burns, Wendy C.; Thomas, Merlin C.; Brammar, Gail C.; Lee, Fiona; Grant, Sharon L.; Burrell, Louise A.; Jerums, George; Osicka, Tanya M.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Medicine, University of Melbourne, Austin, Australia
SOURCE: Diabetes (2002), 51(11), 3274-3282
CODEN: DIAEAZ; ISSN: 0012-1797
PUBLISHER: American Diabetes Association
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English
AB The effect of ACE inhibition on the formation of advanced glycation end products (AGEs) and oxidative stress was explored. Streptozocin-induced diabetic animals were randomized to no treatment, the ACE inhibitor ramipril (3 mg/L), or the AGE formation inhibitor aminoguanidine (1 g/L) and followed for 12 wk. Control groups were followed concurrently. Renal AGE accumulation, as determined by immunohistochem. and both serum and renal fluorescence, were increased in diabetic animals. This was attenuated by both ramipril and aminoguanidine to a similar degree. Nitrotyrosine, a marker of protein oxidation, also followed a similar pattern. The receptor for AGEs, gene expression of the membrane-bound NADPH oxidase subunit gp91phox, and nuclear transcription factor- κ B were all increased by diabetes but remained unaffected by either treatment regimen. Two other AGE receptors, AGE R2 and AGE R3, remained unchanged for the duration of the study. The present study has identified a relationship between the renin-angiotensin system and the accumulation of AGEs in exptl. diabetic nephropathy that may be linked through oxidative stress.
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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:36717
TITLE: Advanced glycation end products and diabetic complications
AUTHOR(S): Jenkins, Alicia J.; Cooper, Mark E.; Stitt, Alan W.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dept of Ophthalmology, Royal Victoria Hospital, Queen's University of Belfast, UK
SOURCE: Expert Opinion on Investigational Drugs (2002), 11(9), 1205-1223
CODEN: EOIDER; ISSN: 1354-3784
PUBLISHER: Ashley Publications Ltd.
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review
LANGUAGE: English
AB A review. Diabetic complications are major cause of morbidity and mortality in patients with diabetes. While the precise pathogenic mechanism(s) underlying conditions such as diabetic retinopathy, diabetic nephropathy and increased risk of atherosclerosis remain ill-defined, it is clear that hyperglycemia is a primary factor that initiates and promotes complications. Formation of advanced glycation end products (AGEs) correlate with glycemic control, and these reactive adducts form on DNA, lipids and proteins where they represent pathophysiol. modifications that precipitate dysfunction at a

cellular and mol. level. Many of these adducts form rapidly during diabetes and promote progression of a raft of diabetes-related complications. Recent evidence also suggests an important interaction with other pathogenic mechanisms activated within the diabetic milieu. This review outlines the nature of AGE formation in biol. systems and highlights accumulative evidence that implicates these adducts in diabetic complications. As more therapeutic agents are developed to inhibit AGE formation or limit their pathogenic influence during chronic diabetes, it is becoming clear that these anti-AGE strategies have an important role to play in the treatment of diabetic patients.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:695943 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 137:216780

TITLE: Preparation of aromatic carboxamides as modulators of receptor for advanced glycated end products (RAGE).

INVENTOR(S): Mjalli, Adnan M. M.; Andrews, Rob; Wysong, Christopher

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Transtech Pharma, Inc., USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 95 pp.

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent

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AB G2R1R2CG1CONR3R4 [I; G1 = alkylene; G2 = H, alkyl, aryl, alkylaryl, amino,

(substituted) imidazolyl; R1 = H, alkyl, aryl, alkylaryl; R2 = alkyl, aryl, aralkyl, etc.; R3 = H, alkyl, alkylaryl, alkoxyaryl; R4 = alkylaryl, alkoxyaryl, aryl], were prepared I are modulators of the interaction between the receptor for advanced glycated end products (RAGE) and its ligands, such as advanced glycated end products (AGEs), S100/calgranulin/EN-RAGE, β -amyloid and amphotericin. I are useful in treating inflammation, the development of diabetic late complications such as increased vascular permeability, nephropathy, atherosclerosis, and retinopathy, the development of Alzheimer's disease, erectile dysfunction, and tumor invasion and metastasis. Thus, 3-(3-tert-butoxyphenyl)-3-(9-fluorenylmethoxycarbonylamino)propionic acid, HTBU, diisopropylethylamine, and 2,4-bis-(3-diethylaminopropoxy)aniline (preparation given) were stirred overnight in MeCN to give 3-(3-tert-butoxyphenyl)-3-(9-fluorenylmethoxycarbonylamino)propionic acid 2,4-bis-(3-diethylaminopropoxy)aniline amide. The latter showed IC50<0.5 μ M for inhibition of binding of RAGE to s100b.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:550257 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:53325

TITLE: Diabetic nephropathy and carbonyl stress

AUTHOR(S): Miyata, Toshio; Yoshino, Atsushi; Kurokawa, Kiyoshi

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Internal Medicine, Tokai University School of Medicine, Japan

SOURCE: Furi Rajikaru no Rinsho (2000), 15, 44-49

CODEN: FRRIFI

PUBLISHER: Nihon Igakukan

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review

LANGUAGE: Japanese

AB A review. Research on the role of advanced glycation end products (AGEs) in diabetes has brought new insights to non-enzymic biochem. of carbohydrates and lipids. It has revealed the increased progressive, irreversible protein modifications with reactive carbonyl compds. (RCOs), derived from oxidative and non-oxidative chemical, in diabetic glomerular lesions ("carbonyl stress"). Under carbonyl stress, not only AGEs derived from carbohydrates but also advanced lipoxidn. end products (ALEs) derived from lipids accumulate in expanded mesangial matrix and nodular lesions. Carbonyl stress might be derived from hyperglycemia (lipemia), oxidative stress, and/or impaired detoxification of RCOs such as by the enhanced polyol pathway. It remains unknown whether carbonyl stress merely represents long-term accumulation of protein modifications and is inert surrogate marker or, alternatively, whether it plays an active role in the pathogenesis. Recent studies however support the latter hypothesis. Proteins modified with AGEs/ALEs initiate a range of cellular responses. Intermediates RCOs per se induce the structure and functional alterations of matrix and cellular proteins. Carbonyl stress indeed mediates the intracellular signaling by multiple pathways. The manipulation of carbonyl stress may therefore open new therapeutic approaches. Among them are the acceleration of detoxification of RCOs and the entrapment of RCOs chemical. These might be achieved in various ways. These therapeutic approaches indeed inhibit the carbonyl modification of proteins with carbohydrates and lipids, prevent the intracellular protein-tyrosine phosphorylation and cellular responses, and effectively retard the development of tissue damage in vivo in animal models.

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